

Senate Amendment 5039

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1 1 Amend Senate File 2272 as follows:
1 2 #1. Page 3, by inserting after line 25 the
1 3 following:
1 4 <Sec. _____. Section 257.17, Code 2005, is amended
1 5 to read as follows:
1 6 257.17 AID REDUCTION FOR EARLY SCHOOL STARTS.
1 7 State aid payments made pursuant to section 257.16
1 8 for a fiscal year shall be reduced by one one=
1 9 hundred=eightieth for each day of that fiscal year for
1 10 which the school district begins school before the
1 11 earliest starting date specified in section 279.10,
1 12 subsection 1. However, this section does not apply to
1 13 a school district that has received approval from the
1 14 director of the department of education for a pilot
~~1 15 project under section 256.20, or for a pilot program~~
~~1 16 under section 279.10, subsection 4, to commence~~
~~1 17 classes for regularly established elementary and~~
~~1 18 secondary schools in advance of the starting date~~
~~1 19 established in section 279.10, subsection 1 3.>~~
1 20 #2. Page 9, by inserting after line 1 the
1 21 following:
1 22 <Sec. _____. Section 279.10, subsections 1 and 2,
1 23 Code 2005, are amended to read as follows:
1 24 1. The school year shall begin on the first day of
1 25 July and each regularly established elementary and
1 26 secondary school shall begin no sooner than a day
~~1 27 during the calendar week in which the first day of~~
~~1 28 September falls August 25~~ but no later than the first
1 29 Monday in December unless the school district has
~~1 30 received approval from the department of education for~~
~~1 31 a pilot program or pilot project in accordance with~~
~~1 32 subsection 3 or section 256.20. However, if the first~~
~~1 33 day of September falls on a Sunday, school may begin~~
~~1 34 on a day during the calendar week which immediately~~
~~1 35 precedes the first day of September.~~ School shall
1 36 continue for at least one hundred eighty days, except
1 37 as provided in subsection 3, and may be maintained
1 38 during the entire calendar year. However, if the
1 39 board of directors of a district extends the school
1 40 calendar because inclement weather caused the district
1 41 to temporarily close school during the regular school
1 42 calendar, the district may excuse a graduating senior
1 43 who has met district or school requirements for
1 44 graduation from attendance during the extended school
1 45 calendar. A school corporation may begin employment
1 46 of personnel for in-service training and development
1 47 purposes before the date to begin elementary and
1 48 secondary school.
1 49 2. The board of directors shall hold a public
1 50 hearing on any proposal request made pursuant to
~~2 1 subsection 3~~ prior to submitting it to the department
2 2 of education for approval.
2 3 Sec. _____. Section 279.10, subsection 4, Code 2005,
2 4 is amended by striking the subsection.>
2 5 #3. Page 14, by inserting after line 28 the
2 6 following:
2 7 <Sec. _____. FUTURE EFFECTIVE DATE. The sections of
2 8 this Act amending sections 257.17 and 279.10 take
2 9 effect July 1, 2007, and apply to the 2007=2008 school
2 10 year.>
2 11 #4. Title page, line 3, by inserting after the
2 12 word <boards> the following: <and including effective
2 13 and applicability provisions>.
2 14 #5. By renumbering as necessary.
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